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The prime motive for the action of all the grain markets was the prospect of a settlement of the Graeco-Turkish war and a sharp decline at Liverpool. For a few moments after the opening, wheat had all the earmarks of a panic, and only for the fact that trading was confined mostly to big operators, the smaller fry having been pretty effectually cleaned out last week, the market weekly seemed and the settlement of the Graeco-Turkish war and a sharp decline at Liverpool. For a few moments after the opening, wheat had all the earmarks of a panic, and only for the fact that trading was confined mostly to big operators, the smaller fry having been pretty effectually cleaned out last week, the market weakly probably have devolved. pretty effectually cleaned out last week, the market would probably have developed into a general rough-and-tumble strugglo into a general rough-and-tumble strugglo to unload. Most of the trading is now in July, and that option opened with a rush of selling orders at from 74c to 73½c, against Saturday's closing price of 75½c. Even at that remsrkable slump, it was difficult to sell, and in a moment 73½c was quoted. That proved to be the bottom for the time being. The decline brought in enough buyers to prevent any further decline, and, as a general thing, the price showed a tendency toward improvement during the results. a general thing, the price showed a tendency toward improvement during the remainder of the forenoon. Two things were held before the eyes of the bears. Liverpool opened at only \(^1\)a davance and declined sharply at once, closing about 2\(^1\)delta dower. Added to this were reports of probable intervention of the powers and a speedy termination of the Graeco-Turkish war. As much of last week's advance had been caused by that struggle, such reports had an instantaneous effect. Other reasons for a decline were present in abundance, about the only comfort the bulls had being in the nature of bad crop reports. Minneapolis and Duluth receipts were 503 cara, against 505 a year ago. The quantity on ocean passage was increased 1,200,000 bushels. The world's shipments for the week ocean passage was increased 1.200,000 bushels; maize, 5.769,000 bushels. On passage was increased 1.200,000 bushels as to the Continent, wheat and flour, sage to the Continent, wheat and flour, 5.440,000 bushels; corn, 6.560,000 bushels. The sage to the Continent, wheat and flour, 5.440,000 bushels; corn, 6.560,000 bushels. The form 1.000,000 to 1.500,000 bushels, as had been expected. The market gradually recovered to 74½c, and then the hammering commenced, California reporting the long looked for rain as falling. This destroyed the last hope of the bulis and a general selling movement ensued, which carried selling movement ensued, which carried the pirice down to 75c. The absence of any great demand for cash wheat here or at the seaboard at such a heavy concession in price was one of the later discouraging features. July closed weak at 33½673½c.

Corn was weak, principally through symmetric was considered in Illinois, Missouri and Indiana, and the sole reliance for even a

Estimated receipts for Tuesday: Wheat, cars; corn, 169 cars; oats, 249 cars; hogs,

C. S. Lee, Pres. Geo. G. Lee, Sec. and Treas. C. S. LEE COMMISSION CO.

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LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.

There was a sharp break in the market esterday and trading slow. Cables were wer, the visible supply decrease only noderate and a prospect of the powers aminating the war between Greece and urkey all favored a lower market. Furnes broke sharply and cash grain was wer in sympathy. By sample on track ere at Kansas City: No. 2 hard, nominal, here at Kansas City: No. 2 hard, nominal, at \$36984c. No. 2 spring, 4 cars at \$2c and 2 cars choice at \$5c: No. 2 hard, nominal, at 75698c; No. 3 spring, 75698c; No. 4 hard, 70 6 12c rejected, \$69.5c: No. 2 red, nominal, at 75631.0c; No. 3 red, \$5698c, 1 car at 95c and 1 car choice at \$5c: No. 4 red, 90692c. CORN—Receipts past 48 hours. 143,500 Same time last year. 11,200 Shipments. 33,600

Send for entry blanks at once. Entries close May 12, '97. Missouri, Kansas & Texas Trust Co. cars at 21%c, 2 cars at 21%c; No. 4 white, 4 cars at 20c. OATS-Receipts past 48 hours...........15,000 car at 19c. RYE-Receipts past 48 hours......

None on sale, hence no market. Prices nominal at 316/32c; No. 3, 256/30c.

FLOUR—Selling fairly to the consuming trade and prices steady, Soft wheat, per 100 pound sack, patents, \$2,406/2.50; extra fancy, \$2,006/2.25; fancy, \$1,856/2.00; choice, \$1,606/2.80. Hard wheat, per 100 pound sack, patents, \$2,006/2.10; straights, \$1,906/2.00.

CORNMEAL—Dull and lower. Quoted at 556/46c per cwt. bulk. 5046c per cwt., bulk. CORN CHOP-Weaker; slow sale; 40941c Demand fair and choice bright steady. We quote as follows: Prairie, choice, \$6.509 7.00; No. 1, \$6.096.50; No. 2, \$5.0095.50; lower grades, \$3.0093.50. Timothy, choice, \$3.009 9.50; No. 1, \$8.5099.00; No. 2, \$1.5098.00. Clover, mixed, No. 1, \$6.5097.00; No. 2, \$6.609 6.50.

Chicago, April 26.—Bulls in the wheat market had the breath knocked out of hem to-day. They made several spasmodic tempts to elevate the market from the 320 decline with which it started, but unsuccessful, July closing at a loss of c. Corn and oats were also rad veak, closing at declines of 3/6 and ectively. Provisions declined 20 to the Grae

white, 24\\\@24\\cdots.
OATS—Cash—No. 2 mixed, 17\\\\@17\\\cdots.
White, 22\\\@23c.

The English visible supply of wheat de-creased 619,500 bushels last week. The total visible supply of rye is 3,526,000 bushels and barley 3,073,000 bushels. W. V. Foster, of Belleville, Kas., has accepted the position of cashier with the A. Michaels Commission Company. A Liverpool cable says the wheat im-ports for the last week were 488,000 bushels including 152,000 bushels from the Atlantic seaboard.

seaboard.

Chicago stocks of grain are as follows: Wheat, 9,010,000 bushels; ccrn, 7,485,000 bushels; barley, 66,500 bushels.

Black sea shipments of wheat last week were 3,496,000 bushels, making the world's shipments 5,151,000 bushels, against 3,733,000 bushels the second week previous and 7,438,000 bushels a year ago.

The quantity of wheat and flour on passage to the United Kingdom is 12,000,000 bushels; maize, 5,79,000 bushels. On passage to the Continent, wheat and flour, 5,440,000 bushels; corn, 6,560,000 bushels. The

the price down to 13c. The absence of any great demand for cash wheat here or at the seaboard at such a heavy concession in price was one of the later discouraging features. July closed weak at 73½/273½c.

Corn was weak, principally through sympathy with wheat, but also because of the favorable weather and prospective larger receipts. Selling was quite general and prices declined steadily. Exports amounted to 76,000 bushels. July opened at ½/2½c. and closed with buyers at 25½/225½c. and closed at 15½c. and closed at 15

sowing is even more marked in France than in England. The shilling advance in English wheat since the holidays is entirely due to foreign complications. The rirely due to foreign complications. The farmers have not co-operated in the slightest and continue to flood the wheat market. They have, however, only yielded to Force Majure. They no longer possess the capital to hold grain and the way they are flooding the market is an emphatic negative of the idea that the cereal farmer is prospering.

Foreign wheat is held 2s advance in consequence of the war, which, however, is not wholly in favor of the holders, as the Greek farms are selling freely at Odessa, Galatz and London. The ready money thereby obtained is devoted to help their countrymen in arms. These sales check the advancing tendency of prices. Russian shipments doubled last week and exports from Roumania increased.

English and American flour advanced

Wheat Slow and Lower-Corn Off 1-2e from Roumania increased.

English and American flour advanced 1s 6d.

Vesterday 52,01,000 21,715,000 18,711,000 A year ago 55,774,600 15,175,000 2,713,000 2,713,000 2,713,000 3 Changes in the visible supply of grain:

Wheat. Corn.

bushels. bushels. bushels.

Last week. . D. 778,000 D.2388,000 I. 530,000

P'c'd week. . D. 727,000 D.844,000 I. 370,000

2 years ago. . D. 523,000 D.1,876,000 I. 116,000

2 years ago. . D.1,853,000 D.1,488,000 D.157,000

4 years ago. . I. 158,000 D.780,000 D.150,000

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Car lot receipts of wheat:

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Yesterday . 26 15 19 425 78 554
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2 weeks ago.24 6 4 391 271 696
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Car lot receipts of

MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS.

STOCKS DULL, BUT TONE OF THE MARKET MORE STEADY.

A Better Feeling in London and an Improved Foreign Demand for American Securities Causes More Confidence.

There was but little call for money yesterday and most of the demand was on cattle paper. Very little mercantile paper was offering, and that for small amounts. Rates, however, steady at 768 per cent. But little currency going to the country. Bank clearings, \$1,610,561, against \$1,611,180, a decrease of \$619.

Eastern exchange firm and active.
Houston, Fible & Co., exchange brokers, quote it as follows: New York, 50c premium; Chicago, par; St. Louis, par.
The gold reserve yesterday was \$155,285,064.

In our notice in Sunday's issue of the money involved in the public improvements now going on in Boston, the types made us say: "These, with other smaller improvements, it is thought, will furnish wages of at least \$15,000,000." It should have been employment for \$15,000,000.

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Money at Home and Abrond.

New York April 25.—Money on call easy at 14:61½ per cent; last loan, 1½; closed, 1½:61½ per cent; sterling exchange easier, with actual business in bankers bills at 34:864:88¼ for demand and at 34:85½:64:88½ for sixty days; posted rates, 34:85½:48%; for sixty days; posted rates, 34:85½:48%; commercial bills, 34:85½:48%; and 34:85½:64:85; commercial bills, 34:85½:48; and 34:85½:64:85; commercial bills, 34:85½:48; and 34:85½:64:85; commercial bills, 34:85½: and 34:85½:64:85; commercial bills, 34:85½: and 34:85½:64:85; commercial bills, 34:85½; and 34:85½:64:85; load and selection of the open market for short bills, 1½ per cent.

New York, April 26.—Clearings, 371:185,807; balances, 37:165,185.

Boston, April 26.—Clearings, 31:454,540; balances, 34:47:8.

Fhiladelphia, April 26.—Clearings, 31:658,-218; balances, 31:20,290.

Chicago, April 26.—Clearings, 31:433,650, New York exchange, 40c premium. Foreign exchange barely steady; demand; 34:85½; sixty days, 34:86; Clearings, 34:36,617; balances, 3606,997. Money, 5:67 per cent. N. Y. exchange, 50c premium bild, 5c premium asked.

Memphis, Tenn., April 26.—Clearings, Money at Home and Abroad. Asked.

Memphis, Tenn., April 26.—Clearings, \$223,698; balances, \$61,823. New York exchange seiling at \$1.50 premium.

New Orleans, April 26.—Clearings, \$779,181.

New York exchange bank, \$1.50 premium.

State and Railroad Bonds.

New York, April 26.—Closing quotations on the New York Stock exchange were: Alabama, class A, 196; Alabama, class B, 195; Alabama, class C, 196; Clouisiana currency, 190; Louisiana new consols, 48, 35½; Missouri 68, 190; North Carolina 68, 122; North Carolina 48, 102; South Carolina non-fund, ½; Tennessee new set 68, 79, Tennessee new set, 58, 105; Tennessee, new set, 38, —; Tennessee old, 68, 69; Virginia centuries, 64; Virginia deferred, 4; Atchison 48, 79½; Atchison 2d A, 44½; Canada Southern 2ds, 1954; Central Pacific Ists of '95,192½; Denver & Rio Grande 78, 112%; Denver & Rio Grande 78, 110%; Denver & Rio Grande 18, 110%; Missouri, Kansas & Texas 1st 48, 83%; Missouri, Kansas & Texas 1st 48, 58%; Missouri, Kansas & Texas 2d 48, 56; Mutual Union 68 112; New Jersey Central general 58, 111%; Northern Pacific Ists, 16%; Northern Pacific 2ds, 53; Northwest consols, 145%; Northwest ern 1sts, 72%; St. Paul consols, 78, 122; St. Paul, C. P. & W. 58, 1154;; St. Louis & San Francisco general 68, 109; Texas Pacific 1sts, 89%; Texas Pacific 2ds, 19½; Union Pacific 1sts of '96, 102; West Shore 48, 1081½. State and Railroad Bonds.

Government Bonds

Silver. New York, April 26.—Bar silver, 61 11-16c per ounce; Mexican dollars, 48½c. London, April 26.—Bar silver, 28¼d per

Stocks and Bonds.

New York, April 25.—There was not much animation to the stock market to-day, but the dullness was to be attributed to the fact that the exchange closes to-morrow on account of the Grant monument dedication, and dealers showed their usual disinclination to embark on extended ventures on the eve of a holiday. Prices advanced practically without interruption all day and the tone was strong, on the belief that the war between Turkey and Greece is near its end. Prices of Americans advanced in London, and London also bought some stocks on the New York exchange. This all went to encourage buyers, and it is thought there would have been more of them had it not been for the impending holiday. The news of the engagement of \$1.500.000 from New York and \$500.000 from Boston) was disregarded entirely in the stock market, in striking contrast to the commotion caused among stocks at the time of the preceding outlying gold movement, when a report of a shipment of \$200,600 would often sell the market off an average of a point. It is generally accepted that the present shipment is due to the special pressing demand from Japan and Austria for currency purposes. This special demand has created a practical premium on gold in London. Without this premium the present rates of exchange would not leave a sufficient margin of profit in gold shipments to be worth the while. The profit is, in fact, very small as it is. The enormous outstanding trade balance in favor of this country, amounting to over \$300,000,000; the continuing excess of exports over imports, and the brightening prospects for American securities in foreign markets, largely abates uncasiness regarding the exchange situation, due to heavy import, some selling of American securities here for foreign account and the heavy credits carried by the outgoing tide of American tourists to Europe. A treasury gold reserve of \$155,000,000 and an abundant supply of gold in the reserve fund leaves no room for anxiety on account of the currency situation, even if the exports of gold shou New York, April 26.-There was not much

The following was the range of prices yesterday, as furnished by the C. S. Lee Commission Company, 200 New York Life building:

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York, April 26.-BUTTER-Receipts, New York, April 25.—BUTTER-Receipts, 9,801 packages, Steady; Western creamery, 125-15c; Elgins, 17c; factory, 86-12c; CHEESE-Receipts, 1,998 packages, Quiet; state, large, 96-12c; small, 96-124;c; part skims, 46-84;c; full skims, 24-63c. EGGS-Receipts, 14,955 packages, Dull; Western, 9c.
Elgin, Ill., April 26.—BUTTER-Steady; offierings, 29,040 pounds; sales, 24,540 pounds at 15c. at 15c.
Chicago. April 25.—FLOUR—Receipts, 7,000 barrels, and shipments, 8,000 barrels. Firm. Quoted: Winter patents, 43.00 4.50; straights, 84.004.25; spring patents, 83.9064.25; straights, 83.0063.25; bakers grades, 82.9063.25. BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 129.16c; dairy, 96.14c. EGGS—Steady at 81481sc.
Liverpool, April 26.—WHEAT—No. 2 red winter, no stocks in: No. 1 red Northern

Liverpool, April 25.—WHEAT—No. 2 red winter, no stocks in: No. 1 red Northern spring, 6s 7d. CORN—American mixed, spot, new, easy, 2s 74d; old, firm, 2s 104d; April, 2s 74d; May, 2s 74d; June, 2s 84d, FLOUR—St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 8s 6d. BEEF—Extra mess, firm, 56s 3d; prime mess, firm, 4s 6d. PORK—Prime mess, fine Western, firm, 5s; prime mess, medium Western, firm, 4s, HAMS—Short cut, 14 to 15 pounds, firm, 48 6d. BACON—Cumberland cut, 2s to 30 pounds, 29s; short ribs, 20 to 24 pounds, 28s; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 pounds, 25s; long clear

middles, heavy, 40 to 45 pounds, 25s; short clear middles, clear, 45 to 50 pounds, 25s, SHOULDERS-Square, 12 to 14 pounds, 25s 6d. LARD-Spot, steady, 21s 9d. CHEESE American finest white, steady, 56s 6d, colered 56s 6d. TALLOW-Prime city, 18s 6d. American finest white, steady, 568 6d; colcred 568 6d. TALLOW-Prime city, 188 6d.
St. Louis. April 25.—FLOUR—Receipts,
7,000 barreis, and shipments, 5,000 barreis,
Nominal. Patents, \$4,005,00; extra fancy,
\$1,5594.20; fancy, \$1,5594.05; choice, \$2,2593.5;
WHEAT—Receipts, 6,000 bushels, and shipments, 10,000 bushels. Spot lower, No. 2
red, cash, elevator, \$6c bid; track, \$1; No. 2
hard, cash, 185c; May, 735c asked; July,
23/49/255c; August, 765c asked; September,
75/4c. CORN—Receipts, 75,000 busnels and
shipments, \$6,000 bushels. Spot about
steady. No. 2 cash, 23/4c, May, 23/5c bid;
July, 23/5c bid; September, 25/5c asked,
OATS—Receipts, 35,000 bushels, and shipments, \$000 bushels. Spot about
steady. No. 2 cash, 23/4c, May, 23/5c bid;
July, 23/5c bid; September, 25/5c asked,
OATS—Receipts, 35,000 bushels, and shipments, \$000 bushels. Spot higher, No. 2
cash, 20c asked; May, 19/5c, July, 19/4c bid,
BRAN—Dull but firmer; sacked east track,
worth nominally 53/25c. HAY—Quiet, firm;
prairie, \$1,5068.50; timothy, \$8,306/12.00,
BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 13/417/5c, dairy,
\$9/45c. EGGS—Firm, 8c. PORK—Steady,
standard mess, jobbing, \$8,25/98.85. LARD—
Easier; prime steam, \$1; choice, \$4,675;
BACON—Boxed shoulders and extra
short clear, \$5, 710, \$5,50; shorts, \$5,50. DRY
SALT MEATS—Hoxed shoulders and extra
short clear, \$5, 710, \$5,125; shorts, \$5,55.
New Orleans, April 26.—PROVISIONS—
Dull, LARD—Refined, 35c. BOXED short clear, \$\mathbb{E}\$, ribs, \$3.12\mathbb{1}_2\$; shorts, \$5.25\$.

New Orleans, April 26.—PROVISIONS—Dull. LARD—Refined, \$3\mathbb{2}_6\$. BOXED MEATS—Dry salt shoulders, \$5\mathbb{E}_6\$; sides, \$5\mathbb{E}_6\$. BACON—Clear rib sides, \$5\mathbb{E}_6\$; sides, \$5\mathbb{E}_6\$. BACON—Clear rib sides, \$5\mathbb{E}_6\$; sides, \$5\mathbb{E}_6\$. BACON—Clear rib sides, \$5\mathbb{E}_6\$; sides, \$5\mathbb{E}_6\$. HAMS—Choice short clear, \$4\mathbb{9}\mathbb{9}\mathbb{E}_6\$. FLOUR—Firmer; extra fancy, \$4\mathbb{9}\mathbb{9}\mathbb{E}_6\$. PLOUR—Firmer; \$5\mathbb{2}\mathbb{E}_6\$. per barrel. BRAN—Firmer; \$5\mathbb{E}\mathb

Coffee and Sugar. New York, April 26.-COFFEE-Options opened steady at 5610 points lower, follow-ng disappointing news from European markets, aided by foreign selling; steadlet elightly on better cables from Havre. Reslightly on better cables from Havre. Receipts at Brazil and warehouse deliveries in this country were moderate. Closed steady at 10 points lower to 10 points higher; sales, 13,250 bags, including May, 7,150; 7,20c; July, 7,3967,35c; August, 7,55c; September, 7,5967,76c; Eepruary, 7,5967,76c; March, 7,507,75c; Spot coffee—Rio quiet; No. 7, invice, 73c; No. 7, jobbing, 84c; mild quiet; Cordova, 124,614c; sales, 3,000 Santos No. 73, spot, 67,66c; SUGAR—Raw, quiet; fair 1efining, 213-16c; centrifugal, 36 test, 33c; refined quiet; crushed, 54c; powdered, 47c; granulated, 44c; entrifugal, 56 test, 33c; refined quiet; crushed, 54c; powdered, 47c; granulated, 44c; entrifugal, 56 test, 57c; New Orleans. April 26—COFFEE—Rio, ordinary to low fair, 1161334c; SUGAR—Steady; open kettle, 24,625-16c; centrifugal whites, 311-16c; yellows, 34,6334c; seconds, 24,6231-16c. MOLASSES—Quiet; centrifugal, 569c.

Dry Goods. New York, April 26.—No general demand was remarked but there was a good mail order request and chiefly for staple cottons such as bleached and brown cottons and wide sheeting. Blackstone A. A. bleached cottons are out of stock and orders will be taken at value only and rivals are accottons are out of stock and orders will be taken at value only and rivals are activanced 2%c. The sharp advance of %c in cotton and %c at New Orleans has stirred the market for goods and some hustling is expected on Wednesday. Woolen goods active in deliveries and duplicate orders of good quantities coming in. Printing cloth dull, but steadier at 2 9-16c.

Rye and Seeds. St. Louis, Mo., April 26.—Rye—35c, track, Flaxseed—7312c, Timothy seed, Prime, \$2.50 Chicago, April 26.—Rye—Cash, 35c; May, Sc. Flaxseed-Cash, 78c; May, 774c. Timothy seed-Prime, \$2.90.
Toledo, O., April 25.—Clover seed-Active and steady; prime, cash and April, \$4.55.
Rye-Lower at 37c.

New Orleans, April 26.—Futures quiet; sales, 70,900. April, 7,30c bid; May, 7,349, 7,35c; June, 7,2867,39c; July, 7,3967,49c; August, 7,2467,25c; September, 6,8766,89c; October, 6,6766,88c; November, 6,6966,70c; December, 6,7266,73c; January, 6,7546,77c.

Provisions.

Provisions.

A very good jobbing trade was reported yesterday, both for meats and lard, but no buying ahead, as the speculative market was rather weak than otherwise. We quote in car lots:

GREEN MEATS—Shoulders, \$4.50@4.75 per cwt.; hams, \$8.00@8.75.

LARD—Cash, \$4.00; April, \$4.00.

SWEET PICKLED MEATS—Hams, \$8.00 (8.75; shoulders, £5.00@5.25.

DRY SALT MEATS—Shoulders, cash, \$4.50@4.75; long clear sides, \$4.70@4.75; short clear sides, \$4.90@4.75.

Rooms 159-160 Live Stock Exchange Bldg. CAPITAL STOCK \$250,000, PAID UP.

Reasonable Advances to Feeders. Tel. 1849 LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

Louis, April 26.—CATTLE—Receipts, Market steady. Native beeves, \$3.55 top fed Texans, \$4.25; top grassers, 2.40), Market steady. Native beeves, \$3.850 4.80; top fed Texans, \$4.25; top grassers, \$3.85, HOGS—Receipts, 5.800, Market steady. 18.85.
HOGS—Receipts, 5.800. Market steady. Top. \$4.00.
SHEEP—Receipts, 8.000. Market steady. Mexican yearlings, \$4.85; Texas yearlings, \$4.50.
South Omaha, April 25.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1.800. Market steady. Beeves, \$1.50. 64.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.0061.45; cows, \$2.0062.75.
HOGS—Receipts, 5.300. Market a shade lower. Top. \$1.85; bulk, \$3.8063.824;. SHEEP—Receipts, 4.500. Market steady. Chicago, April 25.—CATTLE—Receipts, 14.500. Trade was active from the start, prices ruling steady for the common lots, while the better classes were strong to 10c higher than during the latter part of last week. Only a few native beef steers sold at 38.864.75; bulk of beef cattle brought \$4.4065.00 and only a small percentage of the offerings sold above \$5.00. Stockers and feeders were largely 1060/15c lower, going as high as \$4.50. Veal calves were unchanged, with only moderate offerings. Texas cattle were in fair demand at steady prices.
HOGS—Receipts, 30.000. There was an active general demand, prices ruling about 2½c higher. The supply was mostly taken, common to best selling at \$2.0064.15, sales being largely at \$4.0564.10.
SHEEP—Receipts, 15.000. Prices for sheep were barely steady. Lambs were especially hard to dispose of, and prices were about 15c lower. Sheep sold at \$3.000. Prices for sheep were barely steady. Lambs were especially hard to dispose of, and prices were about 15c lower. Sheep sold at \$3.000. Prices for sheep were barely steady. Lambs were especially hard to dispose of, and prices were about 15c lower. Sheep sold at \$3.000. Prices for sheep were barely steady. Lambs were especially hard to dispose of, and prices were about 15c lower. Sheep sold at \$3.000. Prices for sheep were barely steady. Lambs were especially hard to dispose of and prices were about 15c lower. Sheep sold at \$3.000. Prices for sheep were barely steady. Lambs sold slowly at \$3.505.50 for, the poorest to the best.

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'Dr. DeLap's New Tonic Pills' Produces above result in 20 DAYS. Acts powerfully and quickly. Cured others, will cure you. Young men regain lost manhood, old men recover youthful vigor. Cures IMPOTENCY, NIGHTLY EMISSIONS, FAILING MEMORY, WASTING DISEASES by striking at seat of disease. Great NERVE TONIC and BLOOD PURIFIES. Brings back PINK GLOW TO PALE CHEEKS, restores FIRE OF YOUTH. Insist on "DE LAP's"—no other is equal. Prepared from the prescription of DR. DE LAP, the great French physician; thirty years' practice, hospital and office, in Paris, on Nervous Diseases. Can be carried in vest pocket. Sent by mail (sealed), postage paid, \$1.00 package, or SIX PACKAGES FOR \$6.00, WITH A WRITTEN GUARANTEE TO POSITIVELY CURE OR REFUND THE MONEY. For sale by

Gerner Twelfth Street and Grand Avenue, KANSAB CITY, MO.

LOCAL LIVE STOCK MARKET.

FAIR TRADING IN CATTLE, BUT POOR WEAKER.

A Good Strong Hog Market, Packers and Shippers Both Buying and Offerings Soon Sold-Sheep

Western receipts past 48 hours:
K. C. Chi. St.L.
Cattle 3,200 14,000 2,400
Flogs 7,800 20,000 5,800
Flogs 10,500 16,600 8,000 Sheep . 5.200 18,600 5.100 200
New York April 25.—Fairly active; cows firmer, about all sold. European cables quote American steers 104,2013c. dressed weight; sheep, 104,2012c. Refrigerator beef, 24,3075c. No exports to-day. To-morrow, 50 beeves, 1,350 sheep and 2,450 quarters of beef. ecf. CATTLE-Movements past 48 hours: CATTLE-Movements past 48 hours:

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

Av. Wt. Price, No. Av. Wt. DRESSED BEEF AND EXPORT STEERS STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

22 716 4 75 77. 48. 4 35
21 825 4 25 29 911 4 10
16 991 4 20 19 907 4 20
23 663 4 50 23 760 4 15
60 650 4 60

RANGE CATTLE—NATIVE DIVISION.

TEXAS STEERS.

36 1118 4 20 25 968 3 20
44 889 3 75

TEXAS HEIFERS.
61 565 4 90 35 459 3 55
8 540 3 75 35 55

WESTERN STEERS.
8 17 3 60 63 1230 4 20
WESTERN BULLS.
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61. 429...315 | 2...150... 9 00
WESTERN STAGS.
11. 1232...310 | 20...1205...340
COLORADO STEERS.
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Drive-outs . 6.697
An active and firm market was had yesterday. The run was hardly so large as Monday of last week, and quality much mixed. The best offerings were firm to a little higher. A good many Southern hogs were in and quite a number of poor ones among them. Packers and shippers were both buying and the pens were cleared by early evening. Extreme range, \$2.0093.85; bulk of sales, \$3.7363.80.
Good to choice heavy.......\$3.7523.85

ulk of sales, \$3.75/3.39.
lood to choice heavy \$3.77\263.85
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lood to choice lights, 150 to 200 pounds 3.70 63.77\2
lood to choice mixed packing 3.75 63.85 REPRESENTATIVE SALES,

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88. 165. \$ 3.69 \$ \$2. 156. \$ 3.70

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CUTOUTS, INSPECTED SOWS ANI AND

STAGS.

4. 160. 2 75 3. 253. 2 90
5. 374. 3 50 5. 312. 3 15 SHEEP-Movements past 48 hours:

sheep. REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET. Fairly Healthy-Receipts of Most Stuff Only Moderate and Prices

Stendy. Quotations below are for job lots. On small lots higher prices are asked and ob-tained, enough being asked to cover extra cost of caring for and filling them.

BUTTER-Creamery weak and slow sale. BUTTER—Creamery weak and slow sale but country in fair demand and steady We quote: Fancy separator, 18c; firsts 18c; dairy, fancy, 12c; fair, 9c; store packed 8c; packing stock, steady, 64c; country roll, neatly packed and sweet, 18c; choice Se: packing stock, steady, 614c; country roll, neatly packed and sweet, 10c; choice, 6c; mussy, unwrapped stock, 7c.

EGGS—The market is firm, but not quotably higher. Fresh, 75c per dozen.

BUTTERINE—We quote: Dairy grades, 11c; medlum grades, 12c; high grade, 145c; 1-pound rolls, bricks and prints, 1c over above prices; 2 and 3-pound rolls, 10 and 20-pound packages, ½c over above prices.

CHEESE—Quiet. New York and Ohio full cream, 12c; Wisconsin fancy, full cream, 104c; Missouri, Kansas and Iowa, full cream, 863c; light skim, 567c per pound; Herkimer, full eream, 12c; Young America full cream, 104461.

POULTRY—Turkeys are out of season. Chickens steady and in fair demand. Small spring chickens weighing less than 14 pounds are not wanted. We quote: Hens, 54c; broilers, 14 to 2 pounds, \$3,50c; 4.00 per dozen; large springs, 8c; capons, 8c; slips, 5c. Turkeys, hens, 8c; old gobblers, 6c; pung gobblers, 1c; ducks, 6c; geese, 5c. Pigeons, 5c per dozen.

POTATOES—Steady and in fair demand. Quotations are as follows: New, \$2,00 per bushel in a small way; home grown, 25c per bushel in a small way; home grown, 25c per bushel in a small way; each car bulk lots, 2007526 in a small way. Colorado Greeley stock, 60c in car lots, 65c70c in a small way.

SWEET POTATOES—Dull, but steady CLAIRETTE SOAP.



Half Washed. When clothes have a half-washed appearance-look dingy and yellow—it's a sure sign that they were washed with inferior soap. Clothes that are washed with

Clairette Soap

are thoroughly clean and as white as a snowdrift. The finest and most economical soap that laundress could desire, or soap chemist can make. So cheap that the poorest can afford to use it. 5 cts. Sold everywhere. Made only by THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, St. Louis.

Choice table stock, Mc; poor, 15@20c; seed, 55735c per bushel. STRAWBERRIES—Arkansas coming in reely and market barely steady. Prices ange from \$1.50 to \$2.50 for Texas and \$3.90

range from \$1.50 to \$2.50 for Texas and \$3.90 (\$4.50 for Arkansas berries.

APPLES—Gettling scarce and prices firm. Quoted: Cold storage stock, winesaps and Huntsman's Favorite, \$2.506(3.25 per barrel: other fancy table stock, Willow Twig, \$2.55(3.00; Missouri Pippin, \$2.906(2.75; Prize Red. \$2.006(3.00; fancy eating stock, \$2.006, 3.00; according to quality.

FRUITS—Lemons, new crop Cicily, fancy \$1.50; choice, \$3.00 in a small way; California stock, \$2.506(2.75 box. California navels, fancy, \$3.25(4.00; choice, \$2.006(3.75 in a small way; \$2.006(2.75) cy, \$1.50; choice, \$2.50 in a small way; California stock, \$2.5042.75 box. California navels, fancy, \$2.5042.75 in a small way; seedlings, fancy, \$2.5042.75; choice, \$2.0067.25 in a small way; seedlings, fancy, \$2.5042.75; choice, \$2.0067.250. Baranas, shipping, \$1.5042.200; peddler stock, \$0c67\$1.20. Cramberries, Bell & Bugle, Wisconsin, \$4.50 per barrel. Malaga grapes, scarce, \$8.0068.50 per keg. NUTS—Cocoanuts, \$3.5542.50 per log; small ots, 50c per dozen. Pecans—Texas, \$630c. according to size; pecans, polished, \$6420c. Mexican pecans, 7630c. peanuts, Virginia, white, raw, 465c per pound; Tennessee, raw, 465c; roasted, \$5467c; Kansas, 2½c; hickory nuts (large shellbark), \$5c6\$1.00 per bushel; small Missourt stock, \$545c; native walnuts, 50c per bushel; pinon nuts, 13591c per pound; butternuts, 75c per bushel. VEGETABLES—Demand fair. Cabbage, fancy, New York Holland, \$2.0062.25 per 100 pounds; Southern, \$1.5041.65; california stock, \$2.25 in a small way, \$2.00 to the Jobbing trade; Florida stock, \$1.75 per 100 pounds. Onlons, scarce, flat. Globe, yellow, fancy, in 10-peck barrels, \$5.00, or \$2.50 per bushel. Bermuda onlons, \$3.00 per crate. Florida tomatoes, \$1.0065.00 per crate. Florida tomatoes, \$1.0065.00 per crate. Florida tomatoes, \$1.0065.00 per bushel. Bermuda onlons, \$3.00 per crate. Florida tomatoes, \$1.0065.00 per bushel. Turnips, slow, lise bu, Carrots, 25c bu, Parsnips, 25d30c per bu, Lettuce, fresh, 90c631 per bushel. Horseradish, 50675c per bushel. Arkansas cauliflower, 3 dozen bunches in a small way. Sage, lice per dozen bunches, Southern Miscouri radishes, lice a dozen bunches in a small way. New spinach, \$1.55 per bushel. Boston cucumbers, \$1.50 per dozen, Dandelions, 25405c per bushel in a small way. New spinach, \$1.50 per dozen, Dandelions, 25405c per bushel, leek, lice per dozen, Chives, 30c per dozen bunches in a small way. New spinach, 11.25 per pound. Asparagus, 106715c per pound. Leek, lice per dozen, Chives, 30c per dozen bunches, Texas wax beans, 85c per ½ bushel box, Texas green fl

Wool, Hides and Pelts.

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WOOL—Steady and in fair demand.
Quotations are as follows: Missouri and
similar—Fine, \$676c; combing, 1054c;
coarse, 12613c. Kansas, Nebraska and Indian Territory—Fine, 668c; fine medium,
7610c; medium, \$612c; combing, 10612c;
coarse, 9610c. Colorado—Fine, 8610c; fine
medium, \$611c; medium, 10612c; coarse and
carpet, 9610c; extra heavy and sandy, 768c,
HIDES AND PELTS—Dull, but unchanged. Green and salted, free of
brands, flat, per pound, No. 1, 74c; No. 2,
64c; free of brands, flat, 74c; green salted,
side branded, No. 1, 7c; No. 2, 64c; green
salted kips, 15 to 25 pounds, No. 1, 8c; No. 2,
7c; green salted calf, 8 to 15 pounds, No. 1,
2c; No. 2, 8c; green, uncured, No. 1, 84c,
Sheep pelts, green, 25665c; dry, 44654c per
pound.
St. Louis, Mo., April 25.—WOOL—Quiet,
St. Louis, Mo., April 25.—WOOL—Quiet, St. Louis, Mo., April 26.-WOOL-Quiet. Quoted: Combing, 17c: light fine, 9459 13c; heavy fine, 765c; medium, 136154c; tub washed, 176244c.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. NORMAN & ROBERTSON, proprietors of abstracts and examiners of land titles, No. 16 East Sixth street, furnish dally the transfers of real estate filed in the recorder's office at Kansas City, Mo.

Notice—All transfers appearing in the daily reports contain covenants of general warranty unless otherwise stated.

April 26.

April 26. Clara Philpott and husband to Annie ment
Francis Flourney and wife to A. M.
Lloyd; lots 25, 25 and 27, block 5,
Prospect summit
Charles J. Wilding and wife to Erie
A. Owen; lot 18, block 4, Mount Auburn
Mary G. Beal and husband to Alfred Cubbin; lot 14, East Hampton
Commercial Title, Insurance and
Trust Company to J. B. Welsh et
al; part lots 7 and 8, block 4, Merriam place oncordia Loan and Trust Company Concordia Loan and Trust Company to same; part lots 5 and 6, same.

S. H. Mosely and wife to same; part lots 7 and 8, same.

Gilbert R. Fox and wife to same; part lots 5 and 6, same.

TRUSTEES' DEEDS

Elia B. Kingsley to Mutual Home and Savings Association; part lot 11, block 16, Centropolis

Fred Smith and Frank Smith to same; part lot 2, block 1, LaVeta place place harles Blohm to same; let 4, block Charles Bionim to same; lot 4, block 6, subdivision of the north half of Westminster

Frank Meyer and wife to same; lot 20, block 2, Clinton place

H. W. Immke and wife to F. M. Lowe et al; lot 1, block 4, East Ridgeway

SHERIFF'S DEEDS.

F. C. Hey et al to Christ Smith.

LAND TITLE GUARANTEE CO. A. L. O. Schueler, mgr., examines and guarantees titles in Missouri and Kansas.

F. C. Hey et al to Christ Smith; part lot 27, block 9. Dundee place... Mary Mulvihill et al to Eureka

Investment Company; lot 32, block 14, Winter park

lie; medlum grades, Ec. high grade, 141c; 1-pound rolls, bricks and prints, ic over above prices; 2 and 3-pound rolls, 10 and 20 pound packages, 15c over above prices.

CHEESE—Quiet. New York and Ohio full cream, 12c; Wisconsin fancy, full cream, 161c; Missouri, Kansas and Iowa, full cream, 162c; Missouri, Kansas and Iowa, full cream, 161c; Missouri, Missouri

OF INTEREST TO STOCKMEN

URCHASES BY PACKERS SHOW A FINE INCREASE OVER LAST YEAR.

Big Increase in the Number of Hogs and Sheep Slaughtered-Many Fine Hereford Bulls at the Stock Vards Horse and Male Market.

Packers are still keeping busy and doing a handsome business in everything. Their purchases last week were much heavier than the same week last year, their cattle purchases showing an increase of 2.55 cat-tle; 10,166 hogs, and 12,892 sheep-a pretty

dee week's growth, Mr. Van Natta, of Fowler, Ind., the Hereord breeder, who is here with "white face bulls for C. C. Slaughter's ranch in Texas, says bulls are selling better than for sev-eral years, and are bringing 25 per cent

bulls for C. C. Slaughter's ranch in Texas, says bulls are selling better than for several years, and are bringing 25 per cent more money than hast year.

It has been many a day since there has been as many handsome Hereford bulls here as are now at the stock yards horse and mule market. There are se bulls and 5 heifers. Fifty-seven of the bulls are from W. S. Van Natta's fine herd at Fowler, Ind. 's bulls from T. F. R. Sotham, Chillicothe, Mo., and I bulls and 5 heifers from Adams Earl, Lafayette, Ind.

To-day Gudgill & Simpson, and George Redhead, Des Moines, Ia., the owner of the great bull. Ancient Briton, who took the sweepstakes premium of the world's fair, will be here with a number of fine fellows, which will complete the shipment, which is going to C. C. Slaughter's ranch in Pan Handle, Tex. O. H. Nelson, who has the shipment in charge, says these cattle can be seen to-day and to-morrow at the stock yards horse and mule market. No charge, Ladies as well as gentlemen are invited to look at these hansome "white faces."

George S. Taylor, who has just returned from Checotah, I. T., says cattle were never doing better this time of year. The grass is fine and there is plenty of it. There are more young cattle on the range than a year ago, but the number of beef cattle is short.

W. P. Anderson, who travels for the Chicago stock yards, was here yesterday. He is just back from the Northwest and says the cattle less there has been greatly exaggerated. From the best information he could gather the loss will not be over 10 per cent.

There were no choice heavy cattle in yesterday, but one nice bunch of medium weight steers was on sale, Louis Hothan, of Carbondale, Kas, having here twenty-live native steers of his own feeding that were smooth and fleshy. They averaged 1.240 pounds and were sold by the Charles Dixon Live Stock and Commission Company at \$4.75, the top price of the day.

W. S. Rard, of Henrietta, Tex., perhaps the greatest lover of "white faces" in the state, was here yesterday on his way home with

Visitors at the Yards With Stock.

C. E. Duncan, Marion, Kas., was here yes-terday with cattle.

T. V. Home, Chapman, Kas., came in yes-terday with hogs. Cook & St. Armand, Herington, Kas., had in cattle yesterday. Arthur Dodge, Lenapah, I. T., came in yesterday with hogs.

J. H. Shafer, Elk City, Kas., was here yesterday with hogs. John Lawrence, Gainesville, Tex., was up yesterday with cattle. G. C. Martin, West Plains, Mo., was here yesterday with hogs. yesterday with hogs.

J. H. Brockhouse. Peculiar, Mo., came in yesterday with hogs.

J. F. Taylor, Bonner Springs, Kas., was in yesterday with hogs. J. F. Taylor, Bonner Springs, Ras., was in yesterday with hogs.

Clymer & Swearinger, Morrison, O. T., had in hogs yesterday.

C. T. Gorton, Norman, O. T., was on the yards yesterday with hogs.

O. H. Kendrick, Butler, Mo., was at the yards yesterday with hogs.

W. A. McCandlish, Shelby county, Mo., got feeders here yesterday.

O. L. Anthony, LeRoy, Kas., was at the yards yesterday with cattle.

W. W. Walker, Minneapolis, Kas., was on the yards yesterday with cattle.

M. L. Canda and A. Filtner, Noble, O. T., were here yesterday with hogs.

Gano & Baker, Pawnee Rock, Kas., was here yesterday with cattle and hogs.

John Sprong, Leavenworth, Kas., was at

here yesterday with cattle and hogs.

John Sprong, Leavenworth, Kas., was at
the yards yesterday with twenty-two nice
heifers of his own feeding that averaged
820 pounds, and sold at \$2.85.

Martin Thorp, Fostoria, Kas., was in
yesterday with cattle. He says there are
more cattle in Pottawomic county than hast
year, but hogs short. Corn selling at 16
cents. Kell & Gibbs, Clifton, Tex., were up yes-terday with cattle. They say cattle arg doing well in Bosque county. Range good, The usual number on hands. Corn is up and has been plowed once and looks well, Wheat promises well.

Lend and Zinc.

New York, April 28.—Lead— Dull; brokers' price, \$3.12\(\frac{1}{2}\); exchange price, \$3.20\(\frac{1}{2}\). Spelter—Quiet; domestic at \$4.106\(\frac{1}{2}\). St. Louis, April 28.—Lead—Lower at \$3.02\(\frac{1}{2}\). Spelter—Firm at \$3.35.

LEGAL NOTICES.

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue and authority of an execution, No. 2842; issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Jackson county, at Kansas City, Missouri, returnable to the October term, 1857, of said court, and to me as sheriff directed and delivered in favor of Howard M. Holden, assignee of the Kansas City Safe Deposit and Savings bank, and against I. G. Mitchell and Neenah S. Mitchell, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title, interest and estate of said defendants, I. G. Mitchell and Neenah S. Mitchell, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title, interest and estate of said defendants, I. G. Mitchell and Neenah S. Mitchell, in and to the following described real estate situated in the county of Jackson and sinte of Missouri, to-wit: Lot fifty-four (54) and the east twenty (29) feet of lot fifty-three (53), Irving Park addition to Kansas City, Jackson county, Missouri, and I will, on Friday, the 14th day of May, A. D. 187, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the south front door of the county court house, in Kansas City, Jackson county, state of Missouri, and during the session of said circuit court at Kansas City, Missouri, sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest hidder, all the right, title, interest and estate of the above named defendants, I. G. Mitchell and Neenah S. Mitchell, in and to said real estate, to satisfy said execution and costs. ROBERT S. STONE, Sheriff, Kansas City, Mo, April Z. 1867.

Kansas City, Mo., April 21, 1897.

NOTICE, IS HEREBY GIVEN that letters of administration, with will annexed, on the estate of Cornelius Arn, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the proclate court of the county of Jackson, state of Missouri, at Kansas City, on the 22d day of March, 1897. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred. EDWARD C, ARN, Administrator, with the will of said decedent annexed.

cedent annexed. Dated this 23d day of March, 1897. Dated this 23d day of March, 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Frederick C. Shroeder, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the probate court of the county of Jackson, state of Missouri, at Karsas City, on the 21st day of April, 1897. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

JOHN W. SHROEDER,

MATHILDA SHROEDER,

Administrators.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1897.

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NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Christian Lemmile, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the probate court of the country of Jackson, state of Missouri, at Kansis City, on the 19th day of April, 1897. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

Dated this 18th day of April, 1897.

FRIEDRIKE LAEMMLE, Administratrix.

Scammon, Mead & Stubenrauch, Attys.

Administratrix. Scammon, Mead & Stubenrauch, Attys. Scammon, Mead & Stubenrauch, Attys.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Charles H. Johnson, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the probate court of the county of Jackson, state of Missouri, at Kansas City, on the 19th day of April, 1857. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever harred.

Dated this 19th day of April, 1857.

S. M. GRIFFITH, Administrator.